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For: METHODS TO CONSTRUCT )  
MULTIMERIC DNA AND POLYMERIC )  
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Sir,

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT NO. 1**

Prior to examination, please amend the application as provided below: